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For: PICKUP DEVICE FOR RECORDING OR)
REPRODUCING INFORMATION TO)
AND FROM A MULTI-LAYERED)
RECORDING MEDIUM HAVING A)
PHOTODETECTOR WITH A)
NORMALIZED DETECTOR SIZE)
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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2004 (Paper No. 17), the period for response to which extends through June 30, 2004 by the concurrent filing of a request for two-month extension of time and corresponding fee payment, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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